

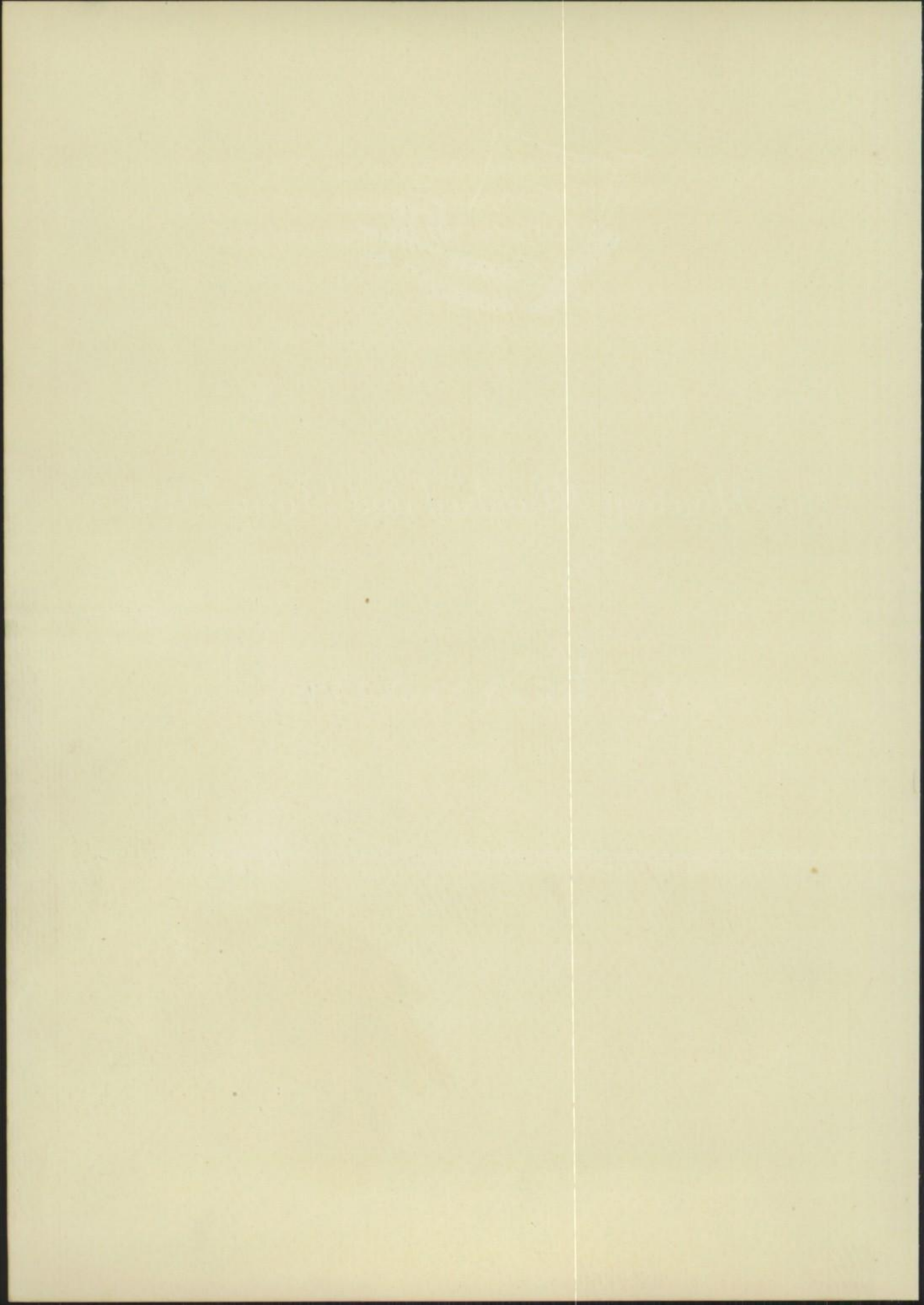
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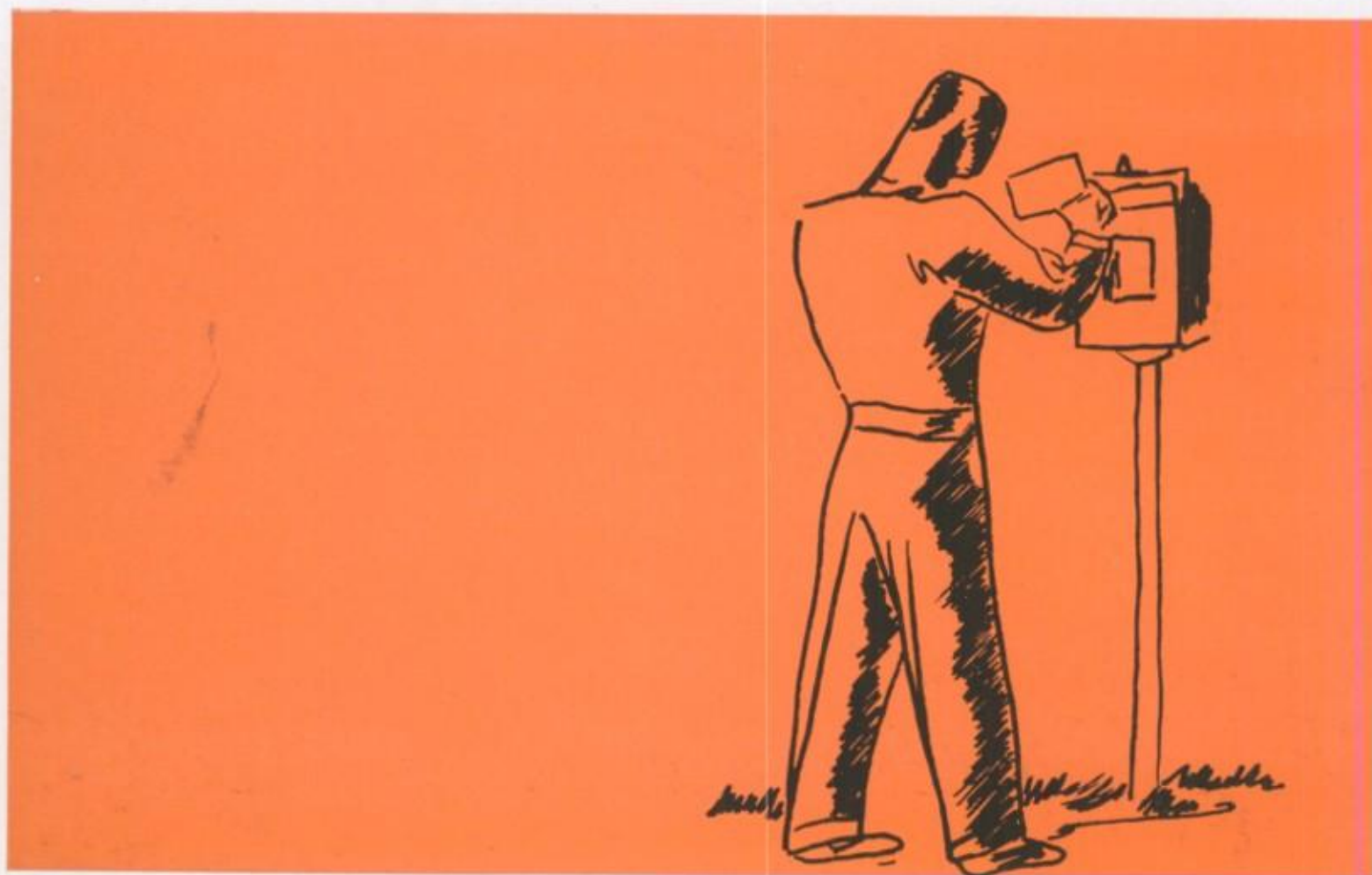




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D E D I C A T I O N

**Because the memories of our
time here in school are cer-
tainly some of the most pleasant
we shall ever have, we dedicate
this year's Acanom to our**

"SCHOOL DAYS"

**May the rest of our years be
as happy as these past
ones have been.**



"I Just Got a Letter"



Harmony

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October 1, 1941

Dear "Ida,"

A month has gone by since the clang of school bells and the falling leaves reminded us that summer vacations were over and another year of our "School Days" had begun.

Our School Board composers have set the musical score which we are to follow, and our principal, Mr. Groleau, will once more conduct.

By hard work and long hours of practice, our faculty arrangers will attempt to bring out all the richness of the student notes. The final outcome will be seen in May when we Seniors are graduated.

Sincerely,
"Margie"



Harmony



PHILIP H. PETRIE

Supervising Principal of Monaca Public Schools

"For He's a Jolly Good Fellow"

MILDRED SAVOT

Clerk to Supervising Principal

"You Think of Everything"



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Principal of Monaca High School

"A Hunting We Must Go"



MATILDA FULLER
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"Nobody Knows the Trouble I've Seen"

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"At a Perfume Counter"

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"Brown Eyes"

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"Let's Put Two and Two To-
gether"

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University of Pittsburgh
English

"How Many Rhymes Can You
Make?"

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University of Pittsburgh
Commercial Subjects

"Please Take a Letter Miss
Brown"

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Duquesne University
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"A Romantic Guy, I"

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A.B., Litt. M.

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University of Pittsburgh
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"Don't Ever Change"

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Music, English

"Music, Maestro, Please"

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Duquesne University
Commercial Subjects, English,
Latin

"It's a Great Day for the Irish"

HELEN SCHUPAY

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Geneva College
School Nurse

"Sweet and Lovely"

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A.B., Litt. M.

Geneva College
University of Pittsburgh
English, Mathematics

"The Little Boy With the Toy
Piano"

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B.S., M.A.

Geneva College
Carnegie Tech
Duke University
Industrial Arts

"So Rare"

ALICE McGUIRE

B.S. in Home Economics

Mount Mercy College
Home Economics

"I Can Sew a Button"

LOUISE G. GLASSER

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Grove City College
Library, English

"Give Me a Book That's Entertaining"

AGNES E. BIRNER

B.S. in Education

Geneva College
Slippery Rock State Teachers College

University of Pittsburgh
Physical Education, Health

"Wake Up and Live"

LELAND J. SCHACHERN

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Physical Education, Health

"Tramp, Tramp, Tramp, the Boys Are Marching"

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Pennsylvania State College
Public Speaking, English

"Stay As Sweet As You Are"

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University of Pittsburgh
Mechanical Drawing, Art

"You Ought to Be in Pictures"

W.D. Reader
W. DONALD READER

A.B., B.S. in Education

Geneva College
University of Pittsburgh
History

"What's the Reason?"

STANLEY J. BERKMAN

A.B.

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Physical Education, Health
Basketball Coach

"My Wild Irish Rose"

LEWIS J. BLISTAN

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Football Coach

"I Live the Life I Love"



Louise G. Glasser



Stanley J. Berkman

"Our World Begins and Ends With You"

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.... THE 1942 ACANOM
MONACA HIGH SCHOOL ✦ MONACA, PA.

November 7, 1941

Dear "Ida,"

After three years of high school work,
we Seniors have at last gained the position
of major notes in our merry tune. With-
out bragging too much, I feel I can say
that this year's class has set a record
whose standard will be hard to surpass.
Our officers and sponsor have helped
us over many difficult bars.

After completing our education in
school, we shall go out to face the chords
and discords of life.

As ever,
"Margie"

Major Notes

ACANOM

MAMIE ABE

"Busy As a Bee"

JEAN ADAMSON

Tri-Hi-Y 2, 3, 4 (Pres. 4)
Photography 3, 4
Library 2, 3, 4
Swimming 3
Student Council 4
Annual Staff 4
Chorus 2, 3, 4
Majorette 2, 3, 4
Newspaper 4

"Jeanie With the Light Brown Hair"

ANNIE ALLAN

Chorus 2

"I Must See Annie Tonight"

HELEN ALEXANDER

"Take the 'A' Train"

CATHERINE ANDERSON

Tri-Hi-Y 2, 3, 4
Library 2, 3, 4
Photography 3, 4
Class Play 4
Chorus 2, 3, 4

"K-K-K-Katy"



LILLIAN ANTHONY

Chorus 2, 4
Library 2, 3, 4
Swimming 3

"He's 1-A in the Army and He's A-1 in My Heart"



JOSEPH ANTOLINE

Football 2, 3, 4
Basketball 2
Varsity Club 4
Newspaper 4

"Just a Kid Named Joe"



DOROTHY ARMSTRONG

Class Treasurer 3
Vice President 4
Band 2, 3, 4
Orchestra 2, 3, 4
Tri-Hi-Y 2, 3, 4
Dramatic 3, 4
Newspaper 2
Annual Staff 4
Chorus 2

"You're the Moment of a Lifetime"



RALPH AUMACK

Hi-Y 2, 3, 4
Band 2, 3, 4
Orchestra 2, 3, 4
Junior Red Cross 3, 4 (Pres. 3)
Student Council 3
Chorus 4
Class Play 3, 4
Mid-Western Band (1941-42)
All-State Band (1942)

"Hot Lips"



ANNA MAE BARTO

Tri-Hi-Y 2, 3, 4 (Treas. 3)
Library 4
Chorus 2, 3, 4
Photography 3, 4
Dramatic 3, 4
Newspaper 2, 3, 4

"Tears On My Pillow"

Best of Luck to a swell Lillian

Joe Antoline

Best Wishes in your senior year Annie

Lots of luck and success to a girl Helen

All the luck & success in the world Catherine

MARIAN BARTO

Tri-Hi-Y 2, 3, 4
Junior Red Cross 2, 3, 4
Newspaper 4
"Let Me Off Uptown"



VERA BOBISH

Newspaper 4
Annual Staff 4
"A Stone's Throw From Heaven"



JAMES BONINI

"Jim"

CARL BISKUP

Chorus 4
Band 2, 3, 4
"Clear Out of This World"

MARIAN BATCHELOR

Band 2, 3, 4
Orchestra 2, 3, 4
Chorus 2, 3
Library 2, 3, 4
Library Club Play 2
Tri-Hi-Y 2, 3, 4
Photography 3, 4
Dramatic 3, 4
Class Play 3
Swimming 3
"The Lady With Red Hair"



JOHN BORIS

Photography 4
"Chatterbox"

JEAN BEAL

"Day Dreaming"



DOROTHY A. BRILHART

Photography 4
Chorus 4
"I'll Wait for You"

MARIE M. BLASCHE

Red Cross 2
Dramatic 3, 4
Business Manager 4
Library 4
"Oh Marie"



PETE BROWN

"Pete the Piper"

ACANOM

GEORGE BRUMMITT

Band 2, 3, 4
Junior Red Cross 3, 4 (V. Pres. 4)
Dramatic 4
Annual Staff 4
Chorus 4
Hi-Y 2, 3, 4 (V. Pres. 4)
Class Play 3, 4
Class Treasurer 2
"Be Honest With Me"



GEORGE BUSHAW

Band 2, 3, 4
Orchestra 3, 4
Chorus 4
"Five O'Clock Whistle"

CATHERINE BUCCINI

Newspaper 2, 3, 4
"Little Girl"



JOHN CHLEBA

Chorus 4
"Johnny's in the Pantry, Mamma"

VIRGINIA MARY BUCUREN

Newspaper 4
Class Play 4
Swimming 4
Annual Staff 4
"I Said No"



JOSEPH CICCOTZI

Chorus 4
"Joseph, Joseph"

LOIS BURD

Chorus 2, 3, 4
"Blue (Burd) in the Moonlight"



Remember General Business Class
LINDO CICCOTZI

Stage Manager 2, 3
Chorus 4
"Shall I Compare You?"

Lindo Ciccozzi

GERTRUDE BUREK

Chorus 2, 3, 4
Photography 3, 4 (Sec. 4)
Student Council 2, 4
Junior Red Cross 2, 3, 4 (Pres. 2, Sec. 4)
Dramatic 3, 4 (Pres. 4)
Library 2, 3, 4
Class Play 4
Swimming 3, 4
Newspaper 2, 4
Annual Staff 4
Class Secretary 2
"On the Sentimental Side"



CHARLOTTE COOMBS

"I Give You My Word"

ACANOM

NANCY ANN COOMBS

Library 2, 3, 4 (Pres. 4)
Photography 3, 4
Tri-Hi-Y 3, 4
Dramatic 3, 4
Chorus 3
Swimming 3
Class Play 4
Newspaper 3, 4
Student Council 4
Library Club Play 2
Annual Staff 4

"You Darlin' "

WALTER COCHRAN

Band 2, 3, 4
Photography 3, 4
Orchestra 4
Chorus 4
Hi-Y 4

"In My Merry Oldsmobile"

BETTY JANE CROFT

"Betty Co-ed"

JOSEPH CRONIN

Basketball 2
Student Patrol 3, 4

"Whatcha Know Joe?"

WILLIAM CRONIN

Dramatic 2, 3, 4
Band 2, 3, 4
Chorus 4

"Not a Care in the World"



ANNE E. CROPPLES

Majorette 2, 3, 4
Chorus 2, 3, 4
Photography 3
Dramatic 2

"Two in Love"

ANNA DELP

Chorus 2, 3, 4
Dramatic 3, 4
Photography 3, 4 (Treas. 4)
Library 2, 3, 4 (Treas. 4)
Tri-Hi-Y 2, 3, 4
Swimming 3, 4
Newspaper 4

"I Can't Get Indiana Off My Mind"

VIVIAN DENNIS

"I'm in a Silent Mood"

CALVIN DOCKTER

"A Bicycle Built for Two"

JEAN DUNN

Chorus 2

"It's So Peaceful in the Country"

RADIETTA MAE DUNN

Tri-Hi-Y 2, 3, 4 (Pres. 3)
Library 2, 3, 4
Student Council 2, 3
Dramatic 2, 3, 4
Chorus 2, 3
Drum Major 2, 3, 4

"We Go Well Together"

*Best teacher to
an underdogman
Radie*

THERESA EQUIZI

Tri-Hi-Y 2, 3, 4
Majorette 2, 3, 4
Dramatic 2, 3, 4
Photography 3, 4
Chorus 2, 3, 4
Class Play 3
"Sweethearts"

*Love to
a fellow house-
member
Theresa*

JOHN FARINACCI

Chorus 4

"Thanks for the Buggy Ride"

BETTY JANE FIGLEY

Library 4
Tri-Hi-Y 3, 4
Photography 3
Annual Staff 4
Newspaper 4
Cheerleader 3, 4

"You Ought to Be in Pictures"

*Here's to
a swell
pal and a
sweet kid
Betty Jane*

GERALD FLEISCHER

Football 2
Basketball 2
Photography 3, 4
Chorus 4

"All Alone and Lonely"

*"I said Sack!
Gerald Fleischer"*



IRENE FRONKO

Tri-Hi-Y 3, 4
Dramatic 4

"Irene"

*Best luck
to you
the future
Irene*

DOROTHY E. FORSYTHE

Chorus 4
Newspaper 4

"You Couldn't Be Sweeter"

MARGARET GREINER

Chorus 2

"Margie"

RAY HECKERMAN

Hi-Y 2, 3, 4
Band 2, 3, 4
Orchestra 2, 3
Student Council 2, 3, 4
Junior Red Cross 3, 4 (V. Pres. 3, Pres. 4)

Chorus 4
Class Play 3, 4
Class President 3
Annual Staff 4

"I Do, Do You?"

*Best wishes
for a good school
life
Ray Heckerman*

ELSIE HEIDEL

Dramatic 4
Class Play 4

"Baby Me"

A C A N O M

*Best of Luck
to George Hemmer*

GEORGE HEMMER

Band 3, 4
Hi-Y 2, 3, 4
Stage Manager 2, 3, 4
Chorus 4
Photography 3, 4
Class Play 4
"Little Drummer Boy"



THEODORE KONETSKY

Band 3, 4
Chorus 4
"You're a Natural"

*Best of Luck
to Coletta Jena*

COLETTA JENA

Library 4
"Roller Skating on a Rainbow"



ARTHUR KRATZERT

Band 2, 3, 4
Hi-Y 4
"The Band Played On"

*Best of Luck
to Lucille Johnson*

LUCILLE JOHNSON

Photography 3, 4
"I Went Out of My Way"



LILLIAN KANSCHAT

"Skaters' Waltz"

*Best of Luck
to Alice Romaine Johnston*

ALICE ROMAINE JOHNSTON

Tri-Hi-Y 2, 3, 4
Library 2, 3, 4
Dramatic 3, 4 (V. Pres. 4)
Photography 2, 3, 4
Band 3, 4
Chorus 2, 3, 4
Orchestra 4
Newspaper 4
Class Play 3, 4
Annual Staff 4
Swimming 4
"She Don' Wan'na"



ALBERT KERMEIT

Basketball 2
"Let's Get Away From It All"

HAZEL IRENE KECK

Photography 3, 4
Newspaper 4
"Trade Winds"



*Best of Luck
to Barbara Ann Leigh*

BARBARA ANN LEIGH

Tri-Hi-Y 2, 3, 4
Dramatic 2, 3, 4
Chorus 2, 3, 4
Class Play 3
Band 2
Photography 3, 4
"Waiting for the Robert E. (Leigh)"

AUGUSTA LINDEMANN

"In My Solitude"



ANNA ROSE MAHAFFEY

Chorus 3, 4
Library 4

"Billy Boy"

*Lots of luck to
Anna Rose Mahaffey
Chorus 3, 4
Library 4
Billy Boy*

ELEANOR McCLAIN

"Shadows in the Moon"

*Sincerely
Eleanor*



MARY MELCHIORRE

"Oh, What a Pal Was Mary"

*For an underclassman
all the luck in the world
Verda Margaret McComb*

VERDA MARGARET McCOMB

Swimming 3
Tri-Hi-Y 2, 3, 4
Newspaper 4

"I'd Know You Anywhere"



ALYCE J. MICHAELS

Tri-Hi-Y 2, 3, 4
Chorus 4
Photography 4

"So Nice"

*Best wishes and
lots of luck to
William McComb*

WILLIAM McCOMB

Hi-Y 4
Newspaper 4
Photography 4
Stage Manager 4
Annual Staff 4
Dramatic 4

"Concentratin'"



WILMA JEAN MECKLEM

Tri-Hi-Y 3, 4
Dramatic 2, 3, 4
Majorette 2, 3, 4
Photography 3
Annual Staff 4

"I Got It Bad and That Ain't Good"

*Just a pal
Wilma Jean Mecklem*

JACK McCULLOUGH

Hi-Y 2, 3, 4
Student Council 3, 4 (Pres. 4)
Baseball Manager 2, 3
Junior Red Cross 3, 4 (Treas. 4)
Photography 3, 4
Class President 4
Class Vice President 2
Annual Staff 4

"Sympathy"



ERMA MILLER

Swimming 3

"If I Didn't Care"

*Lots of luck to
Erma Miller*

MARION MILLER

Library 2, 3, 4
Library Club Play 2
Tri-Hi-Y 2, 3, 4 (V. Pres. 4)
Dramatic 2, 3, 4
Band 2, 3, 4
Orchestra 2, 3, 4
Chorus 2, 3, 4
Newspaper 3
Class Play 3
Class Treasurer 4
"I Know Why"



ALEX MILNE

"Farmer in the Dell"
"Best wishes to a fellow farmer"
"42" "42"



ADELINE MOSCA

Dramatic 4
Newspaper 2, 3, 4
Photography Club 2
"I Love You More, More Every Day"



MARY ELIZABETH MOSCA

Newspaper 3, 4
Photography 3
Dramatic 4
"My Sister and I"
"Pet"



STEVE OGRIZEK

Band 2, 3, 4
Orchestra 4
Chorus 4
Baseball 2, 3
Basketball 2, 3, 4
Annual Staff 4
Class Play 3, 4
Photography 3, 4
Varsity Club 4
"A Romantic Guy"



MILDRED OFCHARKA

Newspaper 4
"My Disposition"



Loads of luck
to an underclassman.
OLIVE S. ORAVEC

Chorus 2, 3, 4
Tri-Hi-Y 2, 3, 4
"People Like You"



JOHN OWENS

"It's a Sin to Tell a Lie"



GEORGE PETRUS

Tri-Hi-Y 4
Dramatic 4
Class Play 4
Photography 3, 4 (V. Pres. 4)
Newspaper 4
Student Council 4
Editor of Annual 4
Chorus 4
Printer 2, 3, 4
"So Long"



NORMA JEAN PFLUG

Tri-Hi-Y 2, 3, 4 (Sec. 3)
Swimming 4
"Our Love Affair"



JULIA DIAN PRIMO

Newspaper 2, 3, 4

"Don't Let Julia Fool You"



FRANK PUHALLA

Basketball 2

"For He's a Jolly Good Fellow"



JOHN REBROVICH

Band 2

Chorus 4

"It's So Easy for You"



JOHN REVAY

Photography 4

Chorus 4

"Little Lad"

*"Best Wishes To You
And Blackie If
He Is Still Interested.
- Johnny Revay -"*

JANE REYNOLDS

Chorus 2, 3, 4

"Some of These Days"



HERBERT REYNOLDS

Baseball 2

"That's for Me"



DOROTHY E. SAVOT

Library 3

Tri-Hi-Y 3, 4

Swimming 4

"Sweet and Lovely"



HELEN SCHULLER

Class Secretary 3

Library 2, 3, 4 (Sec. 4)

Student Council 4

Chorus 2, 3, 4

Annual Staff 4

Newspaper 4

Swimming 3

Cheerleader 3, 4

"Three Cheers for Anything"



EMMA CATHERINE SCOGNA

Library 2, 3, 4 (V. Pres. 4)

Student Council 2, 3, 4 (V. Pres. 3)

Newspaper 2, 3, 4 (Editor 4)

Dramatic 2, 3, 4 (Sec. 4)

Class President 2

Swimming 3, 4

Band 3, 4

Chorus 2, 3, 4 (Pianist)

Annual Staff 3, 4

"Music in My Heart"



ANTHONY SCASSA

Basketball 2, 3, 4

Varsity Club 4

Golf 2, 3

"Practice Makes Perfect"



DAN SABELLA

Football 2, 3, 4
Basketball Manager 2
Basketball 2
Annual Staff 4
Varsity Club 4

"I'm at a Loss for Words"

GERARD SCHACHERN

Basketball 2
Chorus 4

"I'm a Jitterbug"

JOHN SCHUPAY

Dramatic 4
Chorus 4
Class Play 3, 4

"Oh Johnny"

STELLA MARIE SETTING

Library 3, 4
Newspaper 2
Swimming 4
Library Club Play 3

"Love Me a Little Little"

ILA JEAN SICKLES

Junior Red Cross 2, 3, 4
Newspaper 4

"Because of You"



MARTHA S. SINTAY

"Martha"

LIONEL SMITH

Chorus 4

"You're a Lucky Fellow, Mr. Smith"

ROBERT SPRINGER

Newspaper 4

"Springtime in the Rockies"

DAVID SINCLAIR

Annual Staff 4
Hi-Y 2, 3, 4 (Pres. 4)
Basketball 2, 3, 4
Band 2, 3, 4
Student Council 4 (V. Pres 4)
Chorus 4
Varsity Club 4

"Lit'le David Play on Yo' Harp"

THEODORE STANIK

Football Manager 4
Varsity Club 4
Chorus 4

"The Boy With the Wistful Eyes"

*Lots of luck
in the future
in "Martha"*

*Remember those good old
times at noon. The few I
had with ?? Best Wishes*

"Best Wishes"

Robert

Success to swell jail

David Sinclair

*Best of luck
to you.
Ted*

ALICE STAUFFER

Newspaper 4
"You Started Something"



EUGENE TOMBESI

"Twenty-five Additional Words Or Less"

*Best wishes
to a former-girl -
Joe Trella*

MAE BLANCHE STEFFLER

Tri-Hi-Y 3, 4
Chorus 2, 3, 4
Band 4
Newspaper 4
"Sweethearts Are Strangers"



JOSEPH TRELLA

Football 2, 3, 4
Basketball 2, 3, 4
Baseball 2, 3
Varsity Club 4

"Jerk McGurk From Albuquerque"

BETTY L. STRAUSSER

"What Did You Learn at School?"



MARY ANN TURBISH

Newspaper 2, 4
Annual Staff 4
Swimming 4
Class Secretary 4

"Mary Is a Grand Old Name"

CALVIN SWINK

Hi-Y 2, 3, 4 (Treas. 4)
Newspaper 4
Varsity Club 4
Basketball Manager 2, 3, 4
Annual Staff 4
"Careless"



DOROTHY VANCOVISH

Newspaper 2, 3, 4
Library 3, 4
Dramatic 3

"Time and Time Again"

HARRY THORNBURG

Band 2, 3, 4
Chorus 4
"I'm Just Wild About Harry"



LUBIE VERBAN

Chorus 4

"Wishing"

*Best wishes!
Lubie*

ALBERT VLASIC

Basketball 2, 3, 4
Varsity Club 4
Class Vice President 3
"My Mind's On You"



CATHERINE E. WISZ

Chorus 2
"I (Wisz) You Were Mine"

ROBERT WEBER

Photography 4
"Scatterbrain"



JOHN YAROSZ

Photography 4
Hi-Y 4
Basketball 2
"Honest John"

LILYAN WEILER

"You Got What It Takes"



SAM TAORMINA

Photography 3
"Have You Changed?"

EMILY WELLS

"Say When"



VIOLET BOZIC

Chorus 4
"Dusty"

*Lots of Luck
to a new
pal
"Violet"*

NELLIE WYWROT

Dramatic 3, 4
Library 3, 4
Newspaper 4
"I Was Seeing Nellie Home"



EDWARD OFCHARKA

Football 3, 4
Basketball 2, 3, 4
Varsity Club 4
"A Pretty Co-ed Has Gone to My Head"

*"Lots of Luck"
Edward Ofcharka*

"To one of FRED'S
PAL'S"
Steve

STEVE TURBISH

Baseball 3
Chorus 4

"Swing Low, Sweet Rhythm"



LEO LUCCI

"I've Got a Pocketfull of
Dreams"



"We've Come a Long Way Together"

CLASS HISTORY

From the time the beat of our hearts told us we were Sophomores till our grand finale as graduates of Monaca High School, our "School Days" have been a score of pleasant memories.

Our first day in high school shall never be forgotten, nor shall our Sophomore Class officers:

President Emma Scogna
Vice President . . . Jack McCullough
Secretary Gertrude Burek
Treasurer George Brummitt

nor our Student Council members—Radietta Dunn and Ray Heckerman—nor the aid and guidance of our capable leader, Miss Vida M. Bish. Our social whirls consisted mainly of several parties and dances; the most important of which was the "Sophomore Hop" on May 14, 1940.

When September rolled around again, our symphony started with new life and vigor, for now we were Juniors. Our Student Council members were Emma Scogna and Jack McCullough, and the position of director was taken over by Mr. Donald Reader. We really had something to cheer for when Helen Schuller and Betty Jane Figley were elected our class cheerleaders. To raise money for the all-important Junior-Senior Prom we sold Hallowe'en peanut brittle, and wreaths at Christ-

mas time, as well as presenting "Heart Trouble," our class play, which proved to be a splendid success due to the guidance of Mr. Glass, a superb cast, and well organized, efficient committees. The arrival of our class rings made us swell with pride, for now we were indeed full-fledged Juniors. Just one more year to go.

At last our long hoped-for goal was in clear view as we entered the halls of Monaca High for our last and most important year. First of all we elected our class officers:

President Jack McCullough
Vice President . . . Dorothy Armstrong
Secretary Mary Turbish
Treasurer Marion Miller

and our Student Council members—George Petrus and Helen Schuller. This last and most thrilling score was conducted by Grant Beighey, and the harmony increased as it was inspired by common ideals and ambitions. Our Senior Class Play, "Crazy House," was a successful comedy, thanks again to the direction of Mr. Glass. Name cards, Senior pictures, and preliminaries to final graduation filled the hours of our "School Days" in the "Little Red School House." In the midst of activities of all sorts, we found our song ending, and the last echoing strains told us we were . . . graduates of Monaca High School's Class of '42.

“*Memories*”



Fifth Row—W. McComb, C. Swink.

∴ 1942 ∴

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Athletics	{ Calvin Swink Dan Sabella
Class Will	Nancy Coombs
Prophecy	Emma Scogna
Typists	{ Dorothy Armstrong Helen Schuller Virginia Bucuren Vera Bobish

"Life Is a Song"

CALENDAR

- 7:30—Oh "Johnny"! It's time to get up.
- 7:35—Shucks, there goes mother, "Rocking My Dream Boat" again. Doesn't she know that "I'm in a Hoe-Down Groove" this morning?
- 7:45—"Good Morning" "Delilah." Where is mother this morning? Oh yes, I remember, she went "Around the Corner" to see father who's "All Alone at the Station."
- 8:00—Since I have found a little time I might as well stop for "Jim." "Somewhere Along the Trail" to school we saw Mr. Brennan trying to force the morning paper out of Mr. Beighey.
- 8:30—Activity period with "Nothin' " to do and "Not a Care in the World" makes a fellow feel sleepy. Gee, "How Long Did I Dream?" I must have been listening to the "Slumber Song" all period.
- 9:20—Here I am in Gym class and "I Haven't a Thing to Wear," so I guess Mr. Schachern will call me an "Absent Minded Moon" and then give me a few hard swats "Below the Equator."
- 10:30—Physics class and everything was going fine until "I Got Something in My Eye," then "All of a Sudden" there was a deafening roar. Miss Coleman thought the "Chattanooga Choo-Choo" hit the school. Some "Tattletale."
- 11:15—Typing class and "Boy Oh Boy" do I ever get "Blues in the Night" whenever I think of this typewriter. The keys on it are "Few and Far Between" but Miss Hegner still tells me that this one is the "Flagship of the Fleet."
- 11:45—Before lunch we listened to Mr. Groleau lecture about "Old Mister Whiskers," "Keep 'Em Flying" so you can "Thank Your Lucky Stars and Strips" that the "Rhythm Is Red 'an White 'an Blue" and not yellow.
- 12:00—Lunch hour, and I think I'll ask "Madalaine" to eat with me. She said she "Didn't Like Jumpin' in a Julep Joint." That made me feel like a "Monkey On a String."
- 1:30—Miss Milliron is the teacher. The subject, English. We know "It Ain't Right to Say Ain't," but "Now and Forever" to "Say It With a Smile."
- 2:10—Good afternoon, Mr. Glass. Here's an "Apple for the Teacher." If the "Bells of San Raquel" ring before we get done with the Algebra test you might as well throw the papers "Deep in the Heart of Texas."
- 3:00—I thought I was "Whistling in the Dark" when I was standing in front of Miss Malloy's room. She mustn't appreciate whistling because she said "Let Me Smile My Last Smile at You."
- 3:20—Mr. Measel thought we were playing "Cowboy and Indian." He was about to send us a "Rose and a Prayer," but when Mr. Berkman asked him about tonight's game he forgot all about us.
- 4:00—"The Boy With the Wistful Eyes" said "Let's Go Home." So I guess I'll go to "My Dream Feathered Nest," but "This Time the Dream's On Me."

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.... THE 1942 ACANOM
MONACA HIGH SCHOOL ✨ MONACA, PA.

December 18, 1941

Dear "Ida,"

Although our Juniors and Sophomores are only the minor notes in our school composition, our melody would not be complete without them.

Throughout the year they have attempted to strike the chord of friendship with their classmates and progress scholastically as well.

Indeed, we have a group of underclassmen any school might be proud to have.

*As ever,
"Margie"*

Minor Notes

*Best wishes
Lydia*



"Just One More Chance"

Juniors '43

ROOM 4

MR. BRENNAN

- 1st Row—D. Alisher, E. Petrella, L. Frank, J. Davis, L. Sintay
 2nd Row—R. Pickerell, C. Furguivele, J. Kinhead, A. Ciccozzi, G. Plaskonas
 3rd Row—J. Delp, S. Turbish, E. Markulin, C. Anderson, S. Johnston
 4th Row—J. Vogt, E. Mangie, W. Ruckman, S. Sebastian, W. Bragg
 5th Row—A. Alexander, R. Weigle, V. Voulgarakis, J. Cronin, B. Morgan
 6th Row—E. Davis, D. McWilliams, S. Wywrot, J. Devenney, G. Kobulkanic
 7th Row—R. Guzik, A. Giordano, N. Gonet, J. Dietrich, R. Davis
 8th Row—A. Battaglia, D. Rambo, G. Fetchin

"Just One More Chance"

**Juniors
'43**



ROOM 10

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MR. SCHACHERN

1st Row—J. Turbish, B. Keefer, E. Anderson, E. Tuma

2nd Row—E. Palumbo, E. Klingseisen, F. Olshanski, T. Hamadden

3rd Row—E. Ciecerko, C. Salamay, C. Celeste, A. Antoline

4th Row—B. Vlasic, E. Trombulak, J. Yuran, H. Jaros

5th Row—L. Lucci, H. Bailey, M. Zupsic, W. Holic

6th Row—M. Olshanski, D. Weigle, W. LeGoullon



"Just One More Chance"

Juniors '43

ROOM 2 - - - - MISS COLEMAN

- 1st Row—A. Didich, J. Forrest, B. Brush, E. Haggerty
- 2nd Row—D. Dennis, R. Barto, M. Danna, L. Miller
- 3rd Row—B. Landers, J. Davison, D. Ballish, B. Jena
- 4th Row—L. Grosshans, E. Curley, S. Jenkins, A. Mihalko
- 5th Row—J. Ciecerko, E. DeChellis, T. Miller, C. Castronova
- 6th Row—D. Ofcharka, S. Andrei, B. A. French, V. Konevich

"Just One More Chance"

Juniors '43



ROOM 8

MR. GLASS

- 1st Row—E. Conley, N. Harrison, E. Ference, R. Hunter, C. Puhalla
 2nd Row—W. Milne, M. C. Gribben, W. Renner, H. Zajac, W. Lyons
 3rd Row—D. Tomasello, E. Robitz, M. J. Hill, C. O'Keefe, A. Taormina
 4th Row—H. Yothers, M. Farrington, E. Knopp, E. Schatzinger, M. Winkle
 5th Row—E. Soloman, M. Larson, H. Roesler, J. Bellock, B. Inge
 6th Row—G. Oyster, P. Hemer, J. Kovac, J. Slaughter, L. Weekley
 7th Row—A. Tonkovich, G. Glass, F. Regney, J. Hlebo, E. Figley
 8th Row—B. Wasiloski, R. Rubino, J. Grab, M. Groth, W. Milligan
 9th Row—H. Radakovich, F. Reda, C. Sowash, F. Crawford, N. Jarrett



*"It's The Little Things
That Count"*

Sophomores '44

*The little
man who
was it there
Johnny Weigel*

ROOM 12

MR. READER

- 1st Row—L. Daugherty, G. Mateer, R. Holmes, E. Schachern, W. McCullough
 2nd Row—J. Moore, D. Stakic, B. Hercheroether, G. Forrest, D. Ciccozzi
 3rd Row—E. Brummitt, J. Gallagher, P. Castronova, V. Fauser, R. Shaffer
 4th Row—E. Rambo, R. Hild, J. Riddei, J. McMillan, M. L. Graeser
 5th Row—R. Beharka, F. Baxa, G. Laughlin, G. Furguivele, B. Frank
 6th Row—G. Wilson, A. Lapota, W. Johnson, J. Nolder, E. Hermer
 7th Row—E. Johnson, D. Mandish, S. Busang, A. Krall

*"It's The Little Things
That Count"*

Sophomores '44



ROOM 7

MR. DIETRICH

1st Row—F. Trella, R. Matascik, B. Forsythe, W. Poliak, C. Vancovich

2nd Row—R. Harn, O. Matko, A. Taormina, W. Bauer, C. Renner

3rd Row—G. Slater, A. Martinkovich, D. Sickles, M. Gifford, E. McCandless

4th Row—R. A. Jaros, M. Yambresic, G. Folland, R. Skvo'ka, M. Mandish

5th Row—L. Knapp, I. Massey, E. Primo, G. Fox, B. J. Figley

6th Row—D. Smith, J. Farinacci, B. Yanik, V. Boris, L. Hickman

7th Row—I. McCowin, A. Lucci, A. Salberg, A. Lewarchik



*"It's The Little Things
That Count"*

Sophomores '44

*Best wishes
to a swell kid
Mary Mecklem
"Pete"*

ROOM 14

MR. MEASEL

- 1st Row—E. Martincek, F. Vogt, B. Schupay, R. Bell
 2nd Row—J. Hill, M. Mecklem, E. Bobroski, E. Anderson
 3rd Row—J. Anderson, L. Fredericks, T. Burek, S. Ciccozzi
 4th Row—J. Ballish, A. Greiner, R. McKay, M. Farance
 5th Row—A. Ballard, H. Trella, B. Ledford, M. Locke
 6th Row—J. Strausser, R. Galia

*Dear Puff,
we have some
swell times together
don't we? Hope we
can continue them.
Burek*

*"It's The Little Things
That Count"*

Sophomores '44

Miss Birner



ROOM 9

MISS BIRNER

- 1st Row—W. Blasche, J. Smith, E. Weiler, G. Sebastian, V. Wywrot
 2nd Row—C. Johnston, J. Egger, A. Bushaw, J. Troy, R. Brown
 3rd Row—C. Konevich, J. Snyder, G. Kugel, D. Slater, H. Bobish
 4th Row—W. Everly, A. Heckman, J. Korak, A. Battaglia, J. Tonsetic
 5th Row—R. Gribben, G. Susie, M. Furguivelli, G. Rowse, E. Zachodni
 6th Row—J. Mattica, A. Shepard, C. Barto, A. Irons, S. Gibson
 7th Row—C. Antoline, I. Brooks, C. Himes, M. Cochran, C. Goldbach
 8th Row—L. Huffmyer, B. Larizza



*"It's The Little Things
That Count"*

Sophomores '44

ROOM 1

MISS MALLOY

1st Row—E. Wiblin, W. Wilson, K. Boak, B. Peterson
2nd Row—V. Stauffer, G. Glancy, B. Irons, G. Malekovic
3rd Row—M. Hill, O. Sergeant, C. Coombs, D. Harper
4th Row—W. Zajac, J. Kovac, G. McPeck, A. High



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April 23, 1942

Dear "Ida,"

Because we believe that "all work and no play makes Jack a dull boy" we have various clubs and organizations to provide rests after our hours of study and work.

The Senior Class Play, student assemblies, chorus and band groups were all enjoyed in the past and we still look forward to the Junior-Senior Prom.

These extra curricular activities provided relaxation and entertainment.

*Sincerely,
"Margie"*

Grace Notes

ACANOM

NEWSPAPER



The "Acanom Papoose" with a paid circulation of more than 400 subscribers wishes to give thanks to the Journalism and Typing Staffs for having ended one of its most successful years.

The Journalism Staff, under the direction of Mr. William Brennan, and with Emma Scogna as Editor-in-Chief, increased the reading content of the "Acanom Papoose" this year from an eight-page average to a 16-page average by adding many new features such as the following: The Girls' Page, interviews with the students and with business men, book reviews, paid advertisements,

a more literary Junior High section, full-page cartoons, and the Scholastic Roto.

Moreover, the Typing Staff, under the direction of Miss Elizabeth Hegner, and with the capable assistance of Betty Jane Figley, Mary Turbish and Dorothy Armstrong, not only did a very good job of typing the news, but they also did very efficient mimeoscope work—especially in the "setting up" of the advertisements.

So, the "Acanom Papoose" gives full credit to its staff and sponsors for having produced this year an entirely new and more interesting paper.

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TRI-HI-Y

President Jean Adamson
 Vice President Marian Miller
 Secretary Alice Johnston
 Treasurer Anna Mae Barto
 Sponsor Miss Mary Milliron



The Tri-Hi-Y, the companion organization to the Hi-Y, stands for all round development of its members in spirit, mind, and body. Each member of its club strives to think pure thoughts, speak pure words, and perform pure actions. The club colors of red, white, and blue express Sacrifice, Purity, and Loyalty. They are exemplified in the Triangle, Torch, and Circle.

The beautiful induction service in October brought twenty-one new members into the club and gave the newly-elected officers their rights of leadership. Semi-monthly meetings were held throughout the year, with interesting programs of charm discussions given by outside speakers. A successful program, under the direction of Theresa Equizi, was given at each meeting.

MEMBERS

Jan Adamson
 Catherine Anderson
 Dorothy Alischer
 Dorothy Armstrong
 Anna Mae Barto
 Marian Barto
 Marian Batchelor
 Anna Delp
 Adietta Dunn

Theresa Equizi
 Alice Johnston
 Barbara Ann Leigh
 Verda McComb
 Alyce Michaels
 Marion Miller
 Olive Oravec
 Norma Jean Pflug
 Betty Jane Figley
 Irene Fronko

Wilma Jean Mecklem
 Dorothy Savot
 Nancy Coombs
 Mae Blanche Steffler
 Betty Jena
 Nancy Jarrett
 Rosabelle Barto
 Viola Voulgarakis
 Betsy French
 Peggy Hemer

Carolyn Sowash
 Eleanor Figley
 Joanne Gallagher
 Doris Sickles
 Imogene McCowin
 Betsy Herchenroether
 Gloria Mae Kugel
 Bette Landers
 Lois Knopp
 Anna Heckman

Grace Fox
 Mary Lou Graeser
 Betty Inge
 Betty Jane Figley
 Wanita Bauer
 Marguerite Locke
 Ida Massey
 Grace Slater
 Ella Anderson
 Doris Smith



STUDENT COUNCIL

President Jack McCullough
 Vice President David Sinclair
 Secretary-Treasurer John Dietrich
 Sponsor Mr. Charles Glass

MEMBERS

George Petrus	John Dietrich
Helen Schuller	Roger Holmes
Alice Mihalko	David Sinclair
Joseph Belloch	Jean Adamson
Rose Ann Jaros	Ray Heckerman
Billy Frank	Glenn Oyster
Jack McCullough	Gertrude Burek
Edward Robitz	Emma Scogna
	Nancy Coombs

The Representative organization of Monaca High School, the Student Council, maintained its yearly status under the direction of Mr. Charles Glass.

In an attempt to increase student participation in the assembly programs the Council established an assembly program schedule, which included all the homerooms and organizations within the school.

Under the leadership of Jack McCullough, the Student Council once more took charge of the presentation of the "Highest Scholastic Banner." The club is one of the most active in the school, and among its activities was the selling of car stickers and the promoting of sleighing parties to retain the interest and close contact of its members.



LIBRARY CLUB

President Nancy Coomb
 Vice President Emma Scogna
 Secretary Helen Schuller
 Treasurer Anna Delp
 Sponsor Miss Glasco

The Library Club, an organization of 30 girls, passed another successful year of its young life in presenting various interests to its members. Speakers discussed the various professions and fields of work in which the girls planned to enter after graduation. The annual "Doughnut Day" was again a financial success. Pins were purchased for the Senior members of the

club. A scrap book containing all the newspaper clippings about Monaca High School was made, and placed in the Library for the interest of all high school students. The trip to Pittsburgh, for the purpose of visiting educational and historical sites, proved to be the outstanding activity of the year.

MEMBERS

Jean Adamson
 Dorothy Alischer
 Catherine Anderson
 Ella Anderson
 Lillian Anthony
 Anna Mae Ballard
 Anna Mae Barto
 Rosabelle Barto

Marie Blasche
 Gertrude Burek
 Nancy Coombs
 Anna Delp
 Radietta Dunn
 Betty Jane Figley
 Jean Forrest
 Lois Grosshans

Peggy Hemer
 Lenora Huffmyer
 Nancy Jane Jarrett
 Coletta Jena
 Alice Johnston
 Anna Rose Mahaffey
 Eleanor Martincek
 Marion Miller

Helen Schuller
 Betty Schupay
 Emma Scogna
 Dorothy Vancovich
 Viola Voulgarakis
 Nellie Wywrot
 Betty Jane Yanik

STAGE MANAGERS

Behind the scenes toil the unglorified few who make every assembly program, every moving picture a success for the Monaca High School students. The stage managers, a small handful of boys, regulate the lights, arrange the back drops, and do many other small chores that must be done to make an assembly possible. These few boys are indispensable and merit a word of thanks from every student.



MEMBERS

George Hemer
 Bill McComb
 Franklin Crawford

Willard LeGoullon
 Dick Harn
 James Nolder
 William Keefer

DRAMATIC CLUB

President Gertrude Burek
 Vice President Alice Johnston
 Secretary Emma Scogna
 Treasurer Marie Blasche
 Sponsor Miss Louise Glasser



Anna Mae Barto
 Marian Batchelor
 Radietta Dunn
 Elsie Heidel
 Nellie Wywrot
 Mary Jane Hill
 Dorothy Vancovich

William Cronin
 Marian Miller
 Barbara Ann Leigh
 Anna Delp
 Wilma Jean Mecklem
 Theresa Equizi
 Dorothy Armstrong

Mary Elizabeth Mosca
 Albert Giordano
 Dorothy Tomasello
 Nancy Coombs
 Agnes Tonkovich
 Peggy Hemer
 Mary C. Gribben

Rita Gribben
 Jean Troy
 Imogene McCowin
 Marguerite Locke
 Theresa Burek
 Virginia Boris
 George Brummitt

Jack Schupay
 George Petrus
 Irene Fronko
 Lenora Huffmyer
 Anne Salberg
 William McComb



JUNIOR RED CROSS COUNCIL

President Ray Heckerman
 Vice President George Brummitt
 Secretary Gertrude Burek
 Treasurer Jack McCullough
 Sponsor Miss Helen Schupay

The Junior Red Cross Council, a small division of the National Red Cross, has done its greatest service this year in response to the need of aid during this crisis. Its purpose is to bring the school an aid in emergencies at all times.

The Council held a very successful amateur hour in which many students participated. A paper drive was held by the club to aid in national defense work. Skating parties, held during the winter months, retained the interest of the Council members.

MEMBERS

Ray Heckerman
 George Brummitt
 Ralph Aumack
 Jack McCullough
 Ila Jean Sickles
 Gertrude Burek

Marian Barto
 Nancy Jarrett
 Blanche McCracken
 Dorothy Tomasello
 Bette Landers
 Christy Renner

Earl Brummitt
 Franklin Crawford
 Glenn Oyster
 Bill Milligan
 Bill McCullough
 Betty Yanik

Betty Schupay
 Eleanor Martincek
 Jean Troy
 Mary Louise Mecklem
 Raymond Hild

PHOTOGRAPHY CLUB

President Glenn Oyster
 Vice President George Petrus
 Secretary Gertrude Burek
 Treasurer Anna Delp
 Sponsor Mr. Brenna

The Photography Club, formed to foster interest in photography among the students of Monaca High School, held semi-monthly meetings in Room 7. Many flash pictures were taken and developed by the students at each meeting. Through this work many members have acquired skill in amateur photographic work, and the club had offered many ideas on the improvement of pictures in this yearbook.



MEMBERS

Glenn Oyster
 George Petrus
 Gertrude Burek
 Anna Delp
 Jean Adamson
 Catherine Anderson
 John Cronin
 Gerald Fleischer
 Stephen Ogrizek
 Hazel Keck
 Dorothy Alischer
 Selena Sebastian

Theresa Equizi
 Jack McCullough
 Lucille Johnson
 George Kobulkonic
 Anna Mae Barto
 Alice Johnston
 Peggy Hemer
 Mary Jane Hill
 Marian Batchelor
 Mamie Farrington
 Nancy Coombs
 Mildred Groth

Albert Krall
 Dorothy Ballish
 Virginia Boris
 John Yarosz
 John Revay
 Julia Slaughter
 Veronica Konevich
 Jack Grab
 Albert Giordano
 Dorothy Brillhart
 Elmer Petrella
 Alyce Michaels
 Marguerite Locke

Anni Salberg
 Bernice Morgan
 Jean Troy
 Bill McCullough
 William McComb
 Edward Johnson
 Wilson Bragg
 Wanita Bauer
 Anna Mae Ballard
 Betty Jane Figley
 Betsy Herchenroether
 Mary Lou Graeser

Joanne Gallagher
 Imogene McCowin
 Mary Louise Meckler
 Bill Lyons
 John Deveney
 Sarah Johnston
 John Boris
 Robert Weber
 Chuck Johnston
 Theresa Burek
 Walter Cochran
 Edward Davis

HI-Y

President David Sinclair
 Vice President George Brummitt
 Secretary Ray Hild
 Treasurer Calvin Swink
 Sponsor Mr. Reader

The Hi-Y Club completed another very active year with a total membership of 37. The Hi-Y is the brother organization to the Tri-Hi-Y and is built upon the same ideals.

Among the outstanding activities of the club were a Hallowe'en party, swimming parties twice a month, volleyball and basketball games, entertainment for the high school students, and a dance at Palm Gardens. The two outstanding money-making activities were a bake sale and the sale of novelties on Armistice Day.

All members received Hi-Y pins and attended churches in groups during the year.



MEMBERS

Joe Antoline
 Ralph Aumack
 George Brummitt
 Franklin Crawford
 Edward Davis
 James Davis
 Ray Heckerman

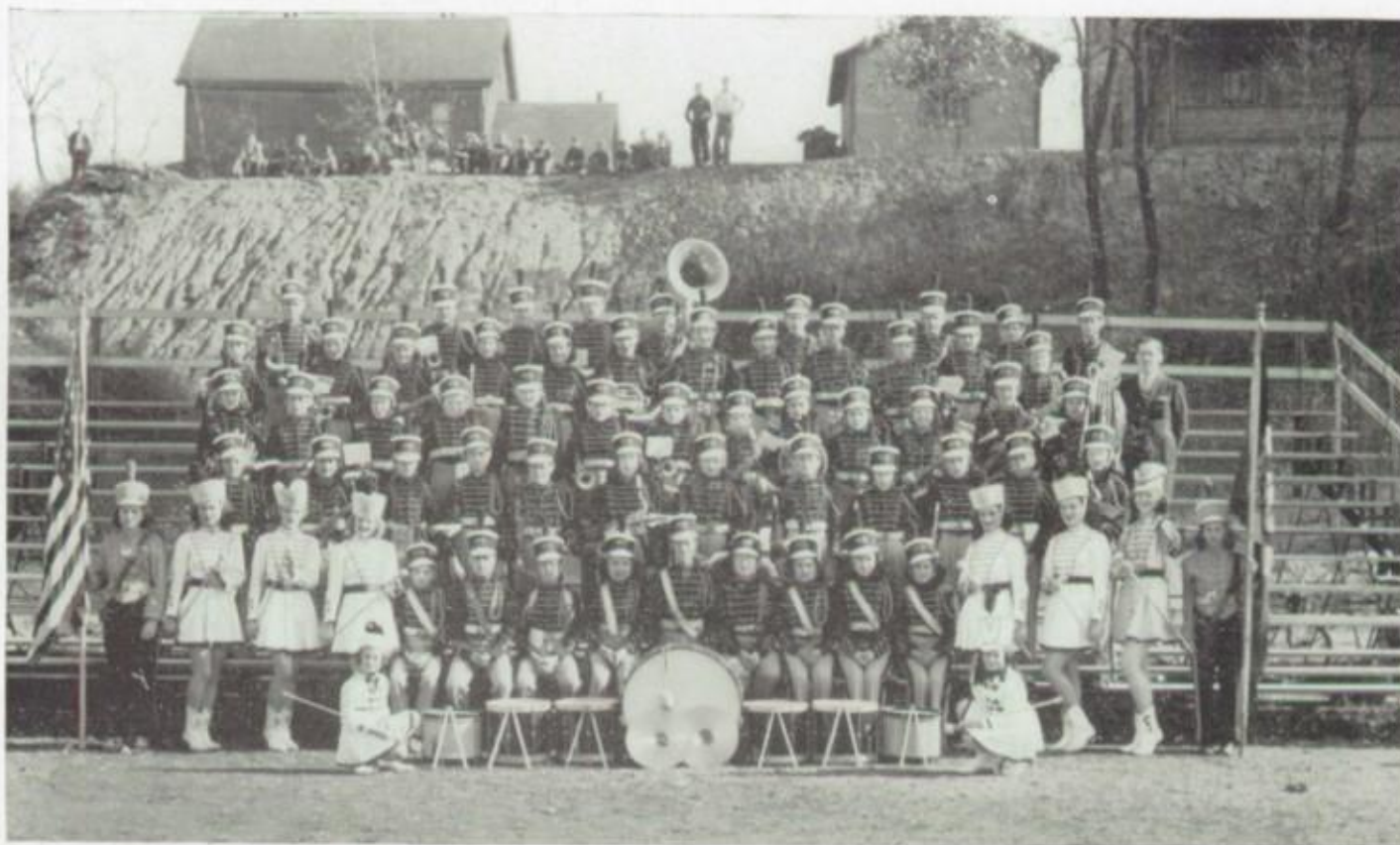
George Hemer
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Lloyd Daugherty
 Albert Krall
 Gerald Laughlin
 Roger Holmes
 Walter Everly
 Richard Harn
 George Petrus

Walter Cochran
 Arthur Kratzert
 Earl Brummitt
 Jack McMillan
 Christy Renner
 Jack Kinkead
 Bill Lyons

BAND



DIRECTOR—RUSSELL WOOD

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Wilma Jean Mecklem, Anna Cropples, Betty Jena, Dorothy Nyah, Phylis Glancy

Clarinets

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Bill Milligan
Betsy Herchenroether
Imogene McCowin
Warren Renner
John Dietrich
June Iben
Joanne Gallagher
Christy Renner
George Sumerville
David Sinclair
Franklin Crawford
Eleanor Martincek
Dorothy Krebs
Marguerite Locke
Donald Nicely

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Ray Hild
Geraldine Clark
Philip Taormina
Carl Biskup
Margaret Biskup
Margaret Danna
Harry Thornburg
Robert Leeper
Bill Petrie

Mamie Farrington
Sidney Gibson
Mary Mecklem
Marian Batchelor
Bill Bozett

Flute

Marion Miller

Cornets and Trumpets

Ralph Aumack
Dorothy Armstrong
Mary Lou Graeser
George Brummitt
Violet Fauser
George Hemer
Clara Furguivele
Danny Donovan
Arthur Kratzert

Horns

Betsy Ann French
Walter Cochran
John Cronin
Emma Scogna

Trombones

Ray Heckerman
Steve Ogrizek

George Bushaw
Billy Frank
Darrell Miller

Baritone

Mildred Groth

Bass

Bill Cronin

Bell Lyres

Alice Johnston
Nancy Jarrett

Drums

Viola Voulgarakis
Betty Schupay
Mae Blanche Steffler
Lewis Fredericks
Mary Cronin
Kenneth Thornburg
Dick Setting
Betty Jane Figley
Gilda Pupi
Richard Weigle

Color Bearers

Lois Knopp
Grace Slater

ACANOM

ORCHESTRA



DIRECTOR—RUSSELL WOOD

Violins

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Anni Salberg
Doris Gariety
Marguerite Mattauch
Mary Ann Restak

Clarinets

Betty Inge
Bill Milligan
Betsy Herchenroether
Imogene McCowin
Warren Renner
John Dietrich

Saxophones

Ray Hild
Geraldine Clark
Philip Taormina
Mamie Farrington
Sidney Gibson
Marian Batchelor

Cornets and Trumpets

Ralph Aumack
Dorothy Armstrong
Mary Lou Graeser

Horns

Betsy Ann French
Walter Cochran

Trombones

Steve Ogrizek
George Bushaw

Bell Lyre

Alice Johnston

Piano

Nancy Jarrett

Flute

Marion Miller

The Monaca Senior Tri-Hi-Y

Presents

"Dora Dean"

FRIDAY, MARCH 20, 1942

A Three-Act Comedy Drama

by

Samuel French

Director—Miss Vida Bish

CAST OF CHARACTERS

Dora Dean, an orphan	Betsy Ann French
Mrs. Sarah Dean, her aunt	Peggy Hemer
Eugenia Dean, Sarah's daughter	Barbara Ann Leigh
Alice Dean, Sarah's daughter	Norma Jean Pflug
Howard Hastings, a neighbor	Arthur Kratzert
Ella Grey Hastings, his wife	Verda McComb
Stephen Grey, Ella's brother	George Hemer
Mrs. Louise Elliott, Howard's sister	Jean Adamson
Mrs. Leah, housekeeper at the Hastings home	Anna Delo
Bridget, servant at Locust Grove	Viola Vou'arakis
Joe, the handyman	John Schupay
Uncle Nat Dean from India	Frank Puhalla

BETWEEN ACTS

Dance	{ Gilda Pupi
	{ Bernadine Deveney
Accompanist	Amelia Kermiet

SYNOPSIS OF SCENES

The entire action of the play takes place in the living room of Locust Grove, the palatial home of the Deans.

Act I—Late afternoon in winter

Act II—The following summer

Act III—One year later

COMMITTEES

Property:

Nancy Coombs, Chairman	June Anderson
Ida Massey	Grace Slater
Ella Anderson	Anna Ballard
Anna Mae Barto	Lois Knopp
Carolyn Sowash	

Publicity:

Alice Johnston, Chairman	Betty Inge
Marion Miller	Anna Heckman
Irene Fronko	Gloria Kugel

Program:

Betty Jane Figley, Chairman	Marion Barto
Radietta Dunn	Mae Blanche Steffler
Dorothy Armstrong	Betty Jena

Ticket:

Catherine Anderson, Chairman	Imogene McCowin
Nancy Jarrett	Grace Fox
Betsy Herchenroether	Rosabelle Barto

Ushers:

Catherine Anderson	Theresa Equizi
Carolyn Sowash	Bette Landers
Alice Johnston	Wanita Bauer
Wilma Jean Mecklem	Betty Figley

Junior Class Play

"I'm In The Army Now"

FRIDAY, APRIL 24, 1942

Director—Mr. Charles Glass

CAST OF CHARACTERS

Pa Robertson (Ira)	Wilbert Lyons
Ma Robertson (Polly)	Dorothy Tomasello
Deanna Robertson	Helen Radakovich
Bronson Robertson	Glenn Oyster
Toby Robertson	Warren Renner
Granny Robertson	Mary C. Gribben
Dale Morrison	Agnes Tonkovich
Letty Ashbrooke	Bette Landers
Prentiss Roper	John D'etrich
Corinna Duffin	Barbara Vlasic
Audrey Nayland	Mary Jane Hill
Mrs. Essie Knapp	Francena Regney
Ramon Valdez	Jack Grab

Music by the High School Orchestra

Under the Direction of Mr. Russell Wood

SYNOPSIS OF SCENES

Time—The present

Act I—

Scene I—Late afternoon of a day in early fall

Scene II—Several months later. Later afternoon in winter.

Act II—Late afternoon of the following summer

Act III—A few days later; noon.

COMMITTEES

Ticket:

Frances Olshanski	Thelma Miller
Eleanor Figley	Sophie Andrei
Clara Furgivele	

Program:

Bernice Fleischer	Nancy Jarrett
Mary Farrington	Cecelia Puhalla
Betty Inge	Joseph Bellock

Property:

Willard LeGoullon	William Milligan
Franklin Crawford	Mark Hill
John Deveney	Viola Vou'arakis
Betsy Ann French	

Ushers:

Dorothy Alischer	Sarah Johnston
Rosabelle Barto	Alice Mihalko
Jean Forrest	Loretta Miller
Lois Grosshans	Dorothy Ofcharka
Betty Jena	Eleanor Schatzinger

SENIOR CLASS PLAY



The Senior class presented "Crazy House" on Friday, November 21, 1941, at 8:15 P. M. in the high school auditorium. The play was directed by Mr. Charles Glass.

CAST OF CHARACTERS

Launcelot Beldinker	George Brummitt	Laura Holloway	Gertrude Burek
Mrs. Aspasia Beldinker	Alice Johnston	Dick Charles	George Hemer
Bee Beldinker	Nancy Coombs	Suzy Klopenhauer	Virginia Bucuren
Aay Beldinker	Steve Ogrizek	Jonathan Q. Pypuss	John Schupay
See Beldinker	Elsie Heidel	Peter G. Fillup	Ralph Aumack
Grandma Dimity	Catherine Anderson	Signor Giglimoni	George Petrus
	Radio Voice		Ray Heckerman

SYNOPSIS OF SCENES

The entire action of the play takes place in the living room of Launcelot Beldinker.

Act I—An Autumn day of the present year. Early evening.

Act II—Two weeks later. Late in the morning.

Act III—Several weeks later. Early evening.

TICKET COMMITTEE

Stella Setting, Chairman	Dorothy Vancovich
Anna Delp	Gerard Schachern

Marie Blasche

PROGRAM COMMITTEE

Betty Jane Figley, Chairman	Blanche McCracken
Emma Scogna	Verda McComb

Julia Primo

PROPERTY COMMITTEE

William McComb, Chairman	Robert Springer
Walter Cochran	Hazel Keck

Anna Mae Barto

USHERS

Annie Allan
Jean Dunn
Barbara Ann Leigh

Anna Cropples
Anna Mae Barto
Lucille Johnston
Marian Barto

Jean Beal
Wilma Jean Mecklem
Anna Rose Mahaffey

MUSIC

Monaca High School Orchestra
Directed by Mr. Russell Wood

ACANOM

MIXED CHORUS



DIRECTOR—RUSSELL WOOD

1st Soprano

Virginia Boris
Anni Salberg
Bernice Fleischer
Clara Furguivele
Margaret Danna
Loretta Miller
Anna Lewarchik
Ida Massey
Catherine Antoline
Gertrude Burek
Lois Burd
Catherine Anderson
Ella Anderson
Betty Yanik
Eleanor Martincek
Betty Inge
Nancy Jane Jarrett
Bette Landers
Betty Jena
Rosabelle Barto
Jean Troy
Anna Mae Barto
Anna Delp
Betsy Herchenroether
Mary Jane Hill

June Anderson
Emma Scogna
Imogene McCowin
June Anderson

2nd Soprano

Peggy Hemer
Violet Fauser
Gloria Mae Kugel
Antoinette Taormina
Betty Schupay
Viola Voulgarakis
Theresa Equizi
Lois Knopp
Grace Slater
Jean Adamson
Betsy French

Alto

Helen Bobish
Anna Battaglia
Barbara Vlasic
Dorothy Ofcharka
Mae Blanche Steffler
Anna Heckman
Marion Miller
Anna Rose Mahaffey

Joanne Gallagher
Mary Lou Graeser
Dorothy Alischer
Katherine White
Helen Schuller
Lenora Huffmyer
Frances Trella
Doris Sickles
Frances Olshanski
Anna Martinkovich
Dorothy Tomasello
Alice Johnston
Alice Mihalko

Bass

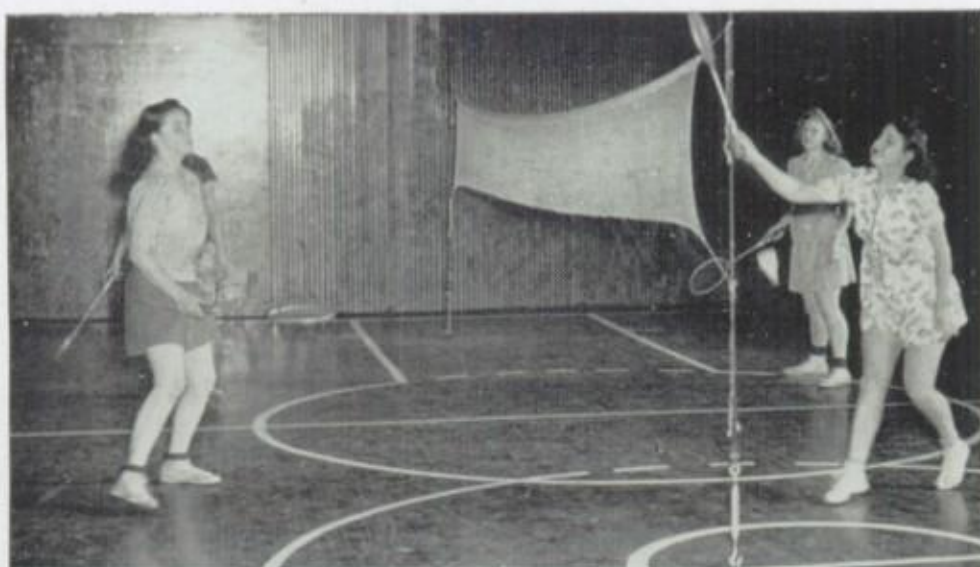
Lloyd Daugherty
Eugene Knopp
Walter Cochran, Jr.
Lindo Ciccozzi
John Farinacci
John Chleba
Lionel Smith
Gerry A. Laughlin
David Sinclair
Gerald Fleischer
George Bushaw

Steve Ogrizek
Steve Turbish
Ted Stanik
Ralph Galia
John Revay
John Rebrovic
Ray Heckerman
Harry Thornburg
Carl Biskup
Joseph Ciccozzi
Teddy Konetsky
Bill Cronin
George Petrus
George Hemer

Tenor

Ralph Aumack
George Brummitt
John Schupay
Gerard Schachern
Franklin Crawford
Ben Wasiloski
Albert Krall
Bill Milligan
Lewis Fredericks
John Dietrich

PHYSICAL EDUCATION



"Oh! Look At Me Now!"

Badminton



Basketball



Apparatus Work



Tumbling and Pyramids

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

"Oh! Look At Me Now!"

Bowling



Virginia Reel



Ping Pong



Basketball



FIRST AID



*"What's the Matter
With Me?"*

Minor Injuries

Victim—Alice Johnston



Artificial Respiration



Fractured Arm

Victim—Marian Batchelor

FIRST AID

"What's the Matter With Me?"

Fractured Leg and Fractured Forearm
Victim—Marian Barto



Blanket Carry
Victim—Betty Strausser



Fractured Leg and Minor Injuries
Victim—Anna Delp



PRACTICAL ARTS



Caring for Infants
"Why Cry Baby"



Art
"In an Eighteenth Century Drawing Room"



Preparing Food
"Ma, I Miss Your Apple Pie"



Printing
"The Man Who Prints the Lyrics"

PRACTICAL ARTS

Home Economics

"Hi, Cy—What's a'Cookin'?"



Music

"Practice Makes Perfect"



Surplus Foods

"An Apple for the Teacher"



Caring for Sick

"Sick and Tired"



ACANOM

"Can I Help You?"



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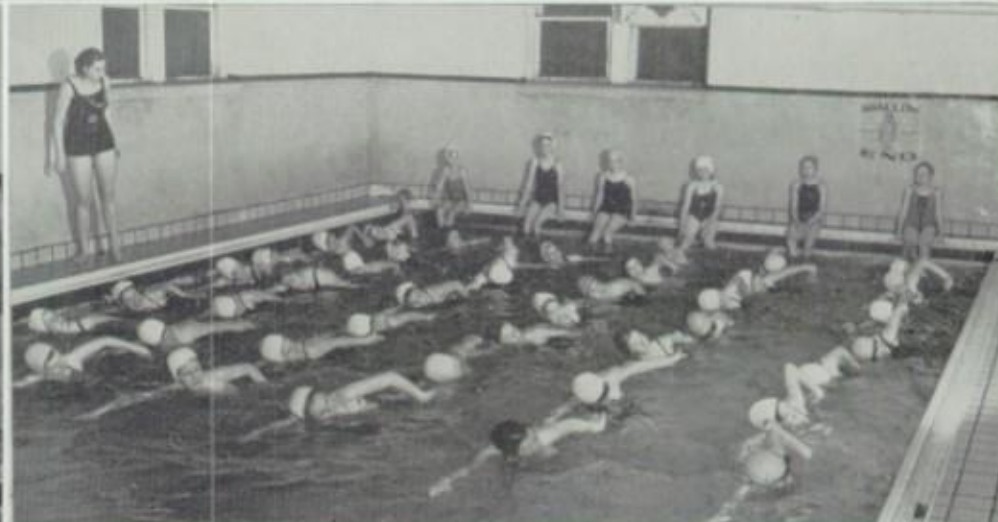
"The Anvil Chorus"

INDUSTRIAL ARTS



ACANOM

SWIMMING CLUB



The Group
Diving
Life Saving

Artificial Respiration
Overarm Stroke
Here's How It Is Done

Sponsor—Miss Agnes Birner

Virginia Bucuren
Gertrude Burek
Theresa Burek
Anna Delp
Betsy Ann French
Matilda Furguivele
Betty Gogravas
Rita Gribben
Theresa Guantonio
Ellen Hall
Frances Hartley
Lillian Heckert
Patty Hemer
Peggy Hemer

Katherine Hlebo
June Keefer
Betty Inge
Cecelia Konevich
Marguerite Locke
Anna Martinkovich
Alice Johnston
Mary Pevek
Norma Jean Pflug
Dorothy Savot
Emma Scogna
Olive Mae Sergeant
Fay Louise Shepard
Antoinette Taormina

MEMBERS

Dorothy Tomasello
Mary Turbish
Margaret Walters
Roberta Winkle
Stella Setting
Sylvia Trumpeter
Patrician Berry
Margaret Brown
Norma Cochran
Bernadine Deveney
Mary Dockter
Laura Elmer
Kitty Lou French
Joan Grab
Lillian Klingseisen

Bernice Ledford
Janet Kratzert
Shirley McCracken
Margaret McCreary
Nancy McCreary
Sue McCreary
Helen McCullough
Margaret McPadden
Evelyn Miller
Marjorie Miller
Jean Ogrizek
Joanne Petrie
Florence Petrus
Eleanor Phillips

Gilda Pupi
Irene Kolinowski
Flora Reynolds
Madeline Scaletta
Mary Ray Thornburg
Delores Short
Barbara Trumpeter
Joan Wick
Mary Lou Wick
Colleen Wilson
Rose Marie Auth
Marian Auth
Beverly Henry
Jane Swanson

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"In the Merry Month of May"

MAY DAY



Rag Doll Dance
Recessional
Gypsy Dance

King, Queen
and
Court

Processional
May Pole Dance
Minuet



"Arms For the Love of America"



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"Please Take a Letter, Miss Brown"

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PROPHECY

"Drifting and Dreaming"

My Dearest Lil:

It's been ages since I've seen you and it isn't Miss Anthony anymore, is it? Well, you have my congratulations—or my sympathies.

Remember the musical manuscripts the Pittsburgh Symphony sent me to trace? The search for them certainly turned out strangely. Let me tell you about it.

While still in Pittsburgh I decided to take one last fling before going on my trip for the manuscripts—so I visited Leo Lucci's Cafe Casa Blanca where the main feature of the evening was Maestro Ray Heckerman's all-girl orchestra with Dorothy Armstrong as trumpet soloist and Mae Blanche Steffler as his "Gene Krupa." After Ray's hearty greeting I began looking around, and he, sensing what I wanted, said, "There he is over there." Sure enough there was George Brummitt, now Ray's publicity agent. The two asked me to stay for the floorshow, telling me the new attraction was one I'd want to see. And did I! It was Monaca's own Jean Beal, Ray's dancing star. Later the "gang" told me that Theodore Konetsky was an announcer over KDKA over which station Dorothy Savot appeared as the "Bonnie Baker of 1952." Albert Kermiet was narrator of drama, and Art Kratzert was the Mathematical Wizard, both of whom did appear over the same station. I could hardly believe so many of our school pals had risen to such positions, but that's only the beginning.

After leaving the "gang" I proceeded to go down Liberty Avenue and found, to my delight, that a new theatre was making its debut. The proprietor was none other than John Boris, whose assistant manager was Robert Weber. George Hemer was his stage director. Johnnie promptly guided me to the best seat in the house and told me to watch **very** carefully. And did I get a surprise! The star of the evening was Irene Fronko, who gained fame as Priscilla Lane's twin. Then a short on science came on. I looked three times, but I saw right the first time. Among those being hon-

ored in the short were William McComb and Jack McCullough, chemists; John Owens, who recently discovered a new fertilization process, and George Petrus, who was awarded the Nobel Prize for the year's best work. The Sports Short brought another surprise for it was narrated by Mary E. Mosca, the first woman to transcribe men's sports.

After the show Johnnie gave me some interesting bits of news. He said that among the happily married were Radietta Dunn, Annie Allan, Catherine Anderson, Margie Greiner, Jane Reynolds, Elsie Heidel, Erma Miller, Lilyan Weiler, Lubie Verban, and Violet Bozic. These girls certainly prove that marriage is a wonderful institution.

"Barnes" said that a number of girls from the class of '42 had become nurses, among whom are Anna Cropples, who is carrying on relief work in France; Wilma J. Mecklem, Julia Primo and Betty Strausser, head nurses at Sewickley Hospital; Anne R. Mahaffey, Anna Delp, Anna M. Barto, and Dorothy Forsythe—now nurses at the Residents' Hospital in New York.

Time sped, and so did I, for I was to leave for New York by plane the next morning. At the airport I got my ticket and flight schedules from Mamie Abee, the information clerk there. My plane was due to leave in ten minutes and on boarding it I found that the pilot was Coletta Jena and the air hostess Barbara Ann Leigh. Babs turned on the radio and who came on but two comedians known as Puff-Puff and Puff-Puff-Puff. You guessed it! They were John Schupay and Gerald Fleischer—all that remained of the four puffs of Monaca High. During our conversation Babs told me that Jean Adamson is a Latin teacher at Penn State, that Robert Springer is a "prof" at Chicago U., that Augusta Lindemann teaches at Monaca, that Helen Alexander is a rural school teacher, and that Lois Burd is now a teacher of commercial subjects. Steve Ogrizek, she said, owns a chain of grocery stores and Sam Taormina a chain of fruit stores.

Before landing, Babs told me to be sure to stop in at the Madame Butterfly Cosmetic Counter—owned and operated by Alyce Michaels and Dorothy Brillhart.

During my stay in New York, I picked up a newspaper, and the first thing I read were the appointments of Mary Turbish, Betty Jane Figley, and Virginia Bucuren to Washington. The article on the appointments was written by Dorothy Vancovich. The sports page, edited by Joe Cronin, was chuck-full of pictures of the famous roller-skating "champs," Betty Croft, Nellie Wywrot, and Lil Kanschat. Norma J. Pflug appeared on the same page as the newly declared rifle "champ." Going on I read that Steve Turbish now sings bass in the Duquesne Tambouritza Orchestra and that Ed Ofcharka is now the basketball coach at Duquesne. Al Vlasic and "Skitch" Sinclair, it seems, are now playing professional basketball at New York. Olive Oravec has just broken all records in the bowling ranks of women. Later, I saw a picture of the Presidential Cabinet and there was Lionel Smith, the Secretary of Agriculture, and John Yarosz, the Postmaster-General. The governor of the state with his secretary, Helen Schuller, also appeared in the picture. The financial section of the paper stated that Frank Puhalla, John Rebrovic, John Revay, and Alex Milne were appointed the newly affiliated cabinet of J. & L. And last but not least, I read that Gerard Schachern has been inducted into the Army's Intelligence Service. Can you imagine my surprise at these revelations?

Although I did not find my manuscripts, I found the dearest little beauty salon owned by Adele Mosca. From Aedelene I learned that Stella Setting is the assistant manager at Salterelli's Beauty Shop, where Ila J. Sickles is one of the chief operators. Furthermore, I learned Tony Scassa has become a pro golfer, and that Harry Thornburg is recognized as an electrical wizard. Eugene Tombesi operates a railroad, while Ted Stanik, Herb Reynolds and Cal Swink are co-owners of a streamlined gas station.

Alice Stauffer and Catherine Buccini are tellers at the New York National Bank where I met Joe Trella—the whiz of the football field. Well, Joe has realized his dream to become a great coach, a position he now holds at N. Y. U., where

Dan Sabella is his assistant. Joe said that George Bushaw is a research worker in New York and that John Chleba, Joe Cicozzi and Bill Cronin are machinists there. Lindo Cicozzi is now appearing in the New York theatres as an accordion artist, while Cal Dockter has made the headlines with a brand new invention.

I then took my leave for I found I was to go to Europe in quest of those same elusive manuscripts. At the dock, waiting for my boat, I picked up the Ladies Home Journal and to my amazement found it was edited by Jean Dunn and that some of its contributors were Charlotte Coombs, Vera Bobish, and Mildred Ofcharka. Pictured in the magazine were Walter Cochrane, a well-known wood worker, John Farinacci, Pete Brown, and James Bonini, who are metallurgists. I read, too, that Alice Johnston is a horticulturist, that Eleanor McClain is an interior decorator, that Emily Wells is a dietitian, and that Mary Merchiorre is her assistant. Verda McComb is in the Civil Service at Philadelphia, while Martha Sintay and Lucille Johnston are head officers of the National 4-H Club.

While on the boat I met Nancy Coombs, now married to a diplomat. Nancy said that Katie Wisz now owns Dan's Dairy, while Hazel Keck now owns a chain of stores.

On arriving in Paris I saw first Madame G. Burek's Fashion Salon, where Theresa Equizi is a model. Gertie welcomed me and told me that there was someone else I should meet. It was none other than Marion Miller—the famed collector of miniatures. Having decided to show me around the girls took me to the Opera House where Ralph Aumack was making his appearance as a concert artist. With Ralph was his wife, Marian Batchelor, who was recently voted one of the ten best dressed women of the world. Marian said that Joe Antoline was now a junior partner in the Batchelor firm, and also that Marian Barto and Carl Biskup worked as head buyers for the same company. And the most rousing tidings she gave us was that Marie Blasche and Vivian Dennis were participating in the Olympics at France!

Well—that's a complete roundup of the class of '42. The manuscripts? I **never did** get them! 'Bye now.

CLASS WILL

"This Is My Last Affair"

Jean Adamson, Anna Cropples, Radietta Dunn, Theresa Equizi, and Wilma Jean Mecklem will their positions as drum majorettes to any girls capable of filling their shoes.

Catherine Anderson wills her daily trips from the country to his sister, Ella.

Mamie Abee wills her boyish walk to Lillian Frank.

Lillian Anthony bequeaths her duties in the Library to Miss Glasser.

Joe Antoline leaves his slight build to Warren Renner.

Dorothy Armstrong leaves her position as Miss Hegner's right-hand man to anyone able to fill it.

Annie Allan bequeaths her old wads of chewing gum to anyone lucky enough to find them.

Ralph Aumack leaves his well-used trumpet to anyone with as much wind.

Marian and Anna Mae Barto leave Rosabelle in school to carry on the family name.

Marian Batchelor leaves locks of her red hair to all the envious under-classmen.

Carl Biskup wills his shyness towards girls to Red Wiblin.

Jean Beal leaves the secret of her pretty complexion still a secret.

Vera Bobish leaves her cute giggles to Betty Jane Yanik.

Marie Blasche bequeaths her blushes to Jean Forrest.

Jim Bonini wills his smooth 18-cylinder job to Mr. Beighey.

John Boris and Robert Weber leave all their ideas and brainstorm to Gerry Laughlin.

Dorothy Brilhart and Alyce Michaels leave their car **and** tires to anyone who has the long daily trips to and from the country that they had.

Pete Brown wills his six-feet-two to Johnny Dietrich.

George Brummitt leaves all his books, papers and good marks to his brother, Earl.

Lubie Bozic and Lubie Verban leave their nickname to all the confused people who couldn't get them straight.

Catherine Buccini wills her deep voice to any soft-speaking Speech student.

Virginia Bucuren leaves her sudden outbursts of laughter to any despondent Sophomore.

Lois Burd wills her bookkeeping set to Mr. Measel to straighten out.

Gertrude Burek leaves her good grades to her sister, Theresa.

George Bushaw wills his quiet ways to Willard LeGoullon.

John Chleba bequeaths his slow drawl to Glenn Oyster.

Lindo Ciccozzi and his **cousin** Joe leave the fact that they are **not** brothers for the office files.

Walter Cochran leaves his "Lizzie" to any daredevil who will take the chances he did.

Nancy Coombs wills her red coat to anyone who dares to wear it as she does.

Betty Croft wills her hair to Antoinette Tormina.

Joe Cronin leaves his ability to wash blackboards to Mr. Johns.

Bill Cronin bequeaths his bass horn to "Zero" Revay.

Anna Delp wills her jolly manner to Elizabeth Conley.

Vivian Dennis leaves her sister, Dolores, to walk home alone at noon and at four.

Jean Dunn leaves Monaca High School devoid of the Dunns for a good while.

Calvin Dockter wills his motor-driven bicycle to Chuckie Johnston, in case his breaks down on him.

John Farnacci bequeaths his blonde curls to Bill Lyons.

Betty Jane Figley, **Senior**, leaves Betty Jane Figley, **Sophomore**, to the peacefulness of not being confused with her anymore.

Dorothy Forsythe wills her petitness to Anna Mae Ballard.

Irene Fronko bequeaths her resemblance to Priscilla Lane to any of the latter's admirers.

Gerald Fleisher and George Petrus will their combined height to Ray Hild.

Margaret Greiner leaves her finger nail shavings to any nervous student taking a test.

Ray Heckerman and Steve Ogrizek leave the trombone section of the orchestra rather hollow for a while.

George Hemer wills his acting ability to Elmer Petrella.

Elsie Heidel leaves Monaca High School for a position as ticket-office girl at the Roxy.

Coletta Jena wills her athletic ability to Agnes Tonkovich.

Alice Johnston bequeaths her ability to play the bell lyre to Nancy Jane Jarrett.

Lucille Johnson wills her southern accent to anyone that like it.

Lillian Kanschak leaves her hurried ways to Jean Delp.

Hazel Keck wills her professional methods of playing volley ball to Miss Birner to teach her gym classes.

Albert Kermeit leaves school to play professional basketball for the Green Hornets.

Teddy Konetsky wills his bashfulness to Jimmie Kovac.

Arthur Kratzert leaves Jean Forrest to stand alone by Miss Coleman's room for a year.

Barbara Leigh wills her driving ability to Betsy Ann French.

Augusta Linderman leaves her slow, easy-going ways to Alice Alexander.

Eleanor McClain wills her dislike for dancing to Emma Solomon.

Bill McComb and Jack McCullough leave Monaca High School the same way they entered—together.

Verda McComb wills her jumpy walk to gliding Mary Jane Hill.

Erma Miller wills her sewing ability to the "Bundles for Britain" campaign.

Marian Miller leaves her A's in French to any failing French student—providing Miss Coleman doesn't object.

Anna Rose Mahaffey bequeaths her letters from the army to anyone who wants a soldier to write to.

Adeline and Mary Mosca leave their little brother in school to carry on their red-headed reputation.

Alex Milne wills his brilliant talks in Speech class to any unprepared student of next year.

Eddie Ofcharka bequeaths his basketball skill to the future Hi-Y teams.

Mildred Ofcharka wills her talent for talking to Alice Mihalko.

Olive Oravec wills her boisterous manner to Betty Schupay.

Norma Jean Pflug wills her bowling ability to the pin boys.

Julia Primo wills her artistic ability to Mary Catherine Gribben.

Frank Puhalla bequeaths his talent as an announcer to Jack Kinkead.

John Rebrovic leaves a well-used lathe to Mr. Lindsay.

John Revay wills his husky build to Joe Yuran.

Jane Reynolds wills her diamond to Mr. McNees in case of a shortage.

Herbert Reynolds bequeaths his old baseball bats to Mr. Groleau for unruly students.

Dorothy Savot wills her industriousness to Mary Louise Mecklem.

Danny Sabella wills McMillan's car to Jack.

Gerard Schachern leaves school for a spot in the floor show at the Bluebird.

Helen Schuller leaves Dorothy Alischer as a reminder of her.

Huntz Schupay leaves his serious outlook on life to Eddie Davis.

Emma Scogna leaves Nancy Jane to play the piano for assemblies.

Stella Setting wills her red-rimmed glasses to Mr. Glass.

Tony Scassa wills his sports stories to Bob Hunter.

Ila Jena Sickles wills her nursing skill to Miss Schupay.

David Sinclair bequeaths his "Gildersleeve" laugh to Louis Giordano.

Martha Sintay leaves her daily walks to and from school to her sister, Lydia.

Robert Springer wills his football physique to Eugene Knopp.

Teddy Stanik leaves school to work at Ziggie's.

Mae Blanche Steffler bequeaths her trips to the hospital to anyone who likes to be operated on.

Betty Strausser and Alice Stauffer will their likenesses to Jean Davis.

Calvin Swink leaves his position as manager to "Banjo" Trella.

Harry Thornburg bequeaths his dislike for mechanics to Frank Reda.

Eugene Tombesi wills his fastness in talking to Walter Winchell.

Joe Trella wills his football pants to anyone big enough to fit them.

Mary Turkish bequeaths her position on the newspaper staff to anyone needing the money she collects.

Steve Turkish leaves his good bass voice for next year's chorus.

Al Vlasic wills his wide-awake appearance to Ben Wasiloski.

Lillian Weiler wills her fondness for "pennies" to the many who are saving them.

Emily Wells bequeaths her ability **not** to get "mike fright" to anyone using the public address system.

Catherine Wisz wills her hurried trips to "Dan's" at noon to Francis Trella.

Dorothy Vancovich wills her witty ways to her sister.

Nellie Wywrot wills her high-pitched voice to Mrs. Uppington.

John Yarosz leaves his position on the Hi-Y basketball team to Bill Milligen.

Lionel Smith bequeaths his steering wheel to McMillan's gang in case they lose theirs.

Helen Alexander leaves school for the corner by the five and ten.

Charlotte Coombs wills Chuck a road map so he'll be able to get to school alone.

ACANOM

“You Walked By”



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May 11, 1942

Dear "Ida,"

I haven't as yet told you anything about our athletics, have I? Our football team had one of its best seasons in many years - winning 6 games, tying 1, and losing 3. Our basketball was an even more thrilling score, and through all of these times we had loads of fun.

With spring came the swing of baseball bats and the cry of "Take Me Out to the Ball Game!" So ends our activities of "School Days."

See you soon,
"Margie"



Trills

ACANOM

“On, Monaca”



CHEERLEADERS

Schuller, Landers, Yanik, Figley, Delp



MAJORETTES

Kneeling: Jena, Cropples, Mecklem, Equizi, Adamson
Standing: Nyah, Dunn, Glancy

“My Hero”



SENIOR VARSITY CLUB

Kneeling: Trella, Ofcharka

Standing: Antoline, Sabella



Ofcharka, Vlastic, Sinclair, Ogrizek, Scassa, Trella

FOOTBALL

RECORD — 1941

Monaca	0	Ambridge	6
Monaca	0	Beaver Falls	0
Monaca	0	New Brighton	14
Monaca	20	Beaver	0
Monaca	7	Midland	0
Monaca	7	Ellwood City	18
Monaca	19	Chester	0
Monaca	27	Freedom	0
Monaca	18	Tarentum	0
Monaca	39	St. Joseph, Oil City	0

Monaca Loses First Game to Ambridge, 6-0

Monaca High opened its season against the Ambridge High on a rain soaked Rochester field with a 6-0 heartbreaking defeat. The lone score of the evening came at the end of a 31 yard drive after the Southsiders had punted from their own five yard marker. With the ball just inches from the double line, Frangione plunged over his own right guard for the score. John Lojek tried right end for the conversion but failed. During the opening minutes of the second half Trella tossed a long pass which was snagged by Dietrich, who fumbled the water soaked ball on the four yard line stopping a possible score.

Monaca Deadlocked With Beaver Falls, 0-0

Monaca and Beaver Falls High School Elevens clashed in a scoreless battle at Reeves Stadium, Beaver Falls. The Monaca Gridders who, had whipped the Tigers in each of the last two seasons, were outmanned and outweighed but were not out-fought. Monaca shaded the Orange and Black 7-6 in first downs, and had the satisfaction of crossing the Tiger goal line, although a touchdown was not allowed by officials because of an offside penalty.

New Brighton Beats Monaca

Scoring twice in the second period, New Brighton High gridiron aggregation topped the Southsiders by a 14-0 score in the Southsiders' field before a crowd of 3,000 fans. The first score climaxed a 44 yard march and the second was the result of a 61 yard run. New Brighton held the upper hand throughout the afternoon. All through

the first period, play remained in mid-field but early in the second period Brighton broke free to score twice. Early in the third period Brighton recovered a Monaca fumble on the home team's 46 yard stripe and marched to the Monaca 31 yard line only to fumble and have the losers recover on the 29 yard marker. The remaining part of the game was played without any unusual play and without any sustained offense.

Monaca Beats Beaver

Employing a wide open brand of football, Monaca romped to a 20-0 victory over Beaver before a crowd of 4,000 persons at the Beaver field by a score of 20-0. Sparking the Red and Blue was Trella, aided by the other ball carriers, and the Monaca line consistently outcharged the Beavers. Monaca earned their first score in the early part of the second quarter. The Red and Blue marched 77 yards for the first score, mixing passes and running plays as they moved down the field. On the second score, Olshanski started around left end, cut sharply and reached the Beaver 35 yard line, where he was hemmed in, and lateralled to Ofcharka who continued down the side line to score. A very fine forward-lateral pass play was responsible for the third score as Olshanski went over for his second score of the game. The first downs were ten for Monaca and four for Beaver.

Victory Over Midland

Monaca High School's scrappy footballers defeated Midland with a 7-0 score in a closely contested night game at Midland. Monaca scored late in the second quarter when Turkish intercepted a Midland pass on the Monaca 47 yard marker, and through Trella's clever handling, the ball was moved to Midland's own 19 yard stripe. Here Trella faded back and threw a pass to Ofcharka for the score. The same identical play with Trella passing to Ofcharka added the extra point. Midland threatened several times but each time the Southsiders stiffened and held for downs. The Red and Blue outplayed Midland on the ground and registered eight first downs to Midland's six. Trella was outstanding for Monaca.



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 3rd Row—Blistan (Coach), Measel (Faculty Manager), Tarmina, Ballish, Stakic, Keffer, Bell, Ciccozzi, McMillen, Busang, Berkman (Assistant Coach)

Ellwood Stops Monaca

Monaca bowed to Ellwood City High's powerful eleven in a night game at Ellwood by the score of 18-7. It was a game that pitted Ellwood's strong line and fast, hard running backs against Monaca's special brand of forward-laterals and passes. In the first half the Tubers dominated and pushed across three touchdowns. Monaca appeared unable to cope successfully with the sweeping end runs and off tackle smashes. With little success with the running attack, Monaca turned to the air and literally passed Ellwood dizzy. In the most spectacular play of the game Trella returned a punt to the Monaca 22, and on the next play Turkish tossed a pass to Ofcharka, who caught the ball on the 42

and then reached the 50 where he was hemmed in and lateralled to Trella, who was able to continue down the field to score. In the final period Monaca again made another bid, marching from their own 25 to Ellwood City's 18 yard line before a pass was intercepted.

Monaca 19—Chester 0

Scoring three times on passes in the first half, despite the rain and ankle deep mud, the Monaca gridgers defeated Chester by a score of 19-0. All three scores resulted from a forward pass with a lateral on the end, but the rain and mud took its toll in the last two periods, and the attacks of both teams bogged down. On the seventh play of the game the Monacans marched their first score when

Managers

Standing: Krall, Herman
 Kneeling: Vogt, Stanik



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Trella tossed a pass to Ofcharka, who lateralled to Wywrot, who stepped across the line for the score. Again Trella passed to Wywrot who threw a lateral to Ofcharka for the second score. For the third score Trella lobbed a basketball pass to Ofcharka who in turn again lateralled to Wywrot for the touchdown.

Monaca 27—Freedom 0

Scoring twice on long runs and twice on sustained drives, the Monaca High School team distributed its tallies over three periods to run up a 27-0 victory over Freedom High at Monaca. A 64 yard return of a punt by Trella and a 50 yard run after a pass interception by Olshanski were the highlights.

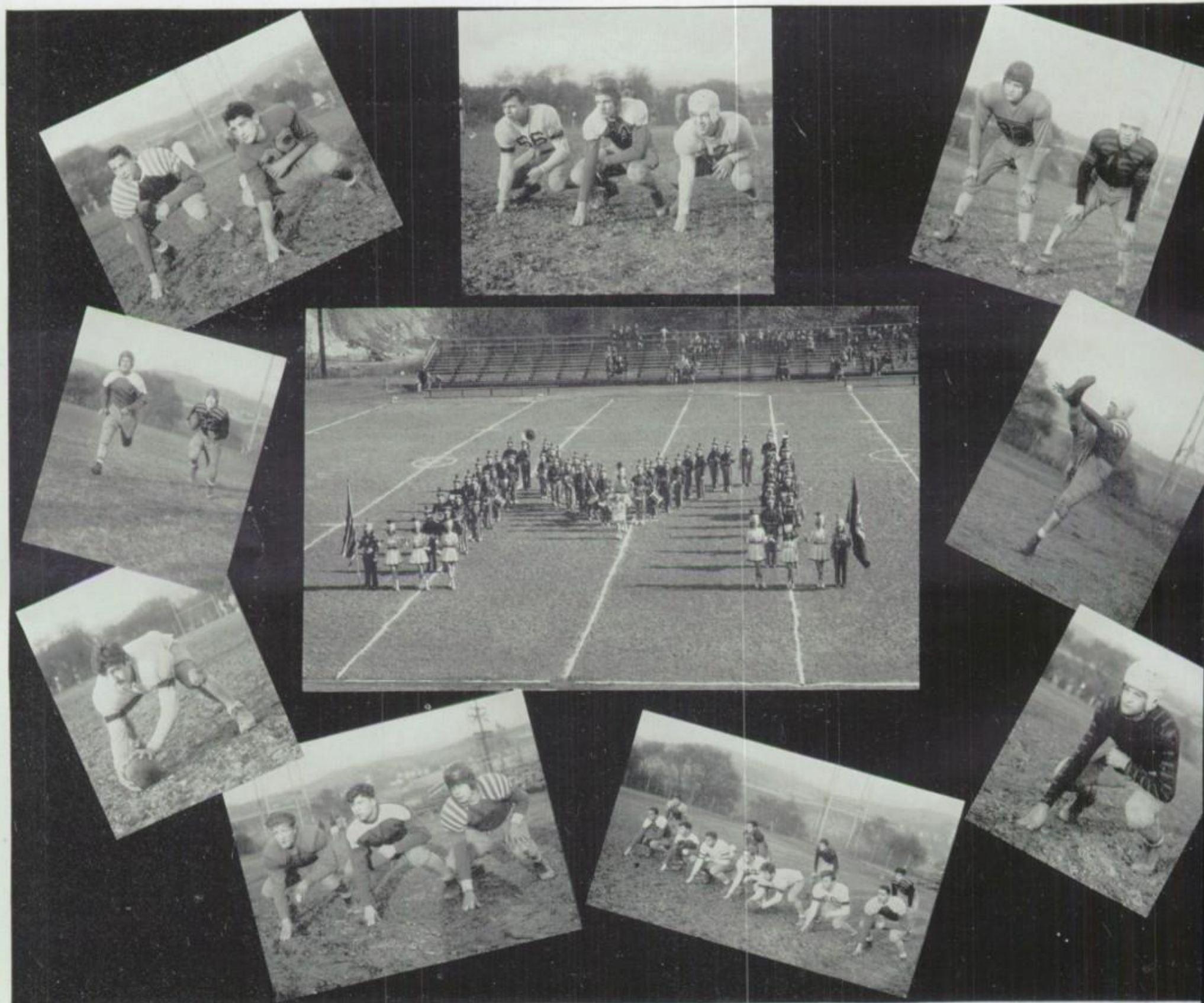
Monaca 19—Tarentum 0

Scoring in the closing minute of the third quarter and adding two more touchdowns in the last period, the Monacans marked up an 18-0 victory over the Tarentum High School eleven, **1940 WPIAL Class A champions**, at the Rochester High School field in a game postponed from Saturday

afternoon due to wet grounds. The Monacans, clad in new scarlet uniforms, raced up and down the fog-shrouded gridiron to mark up 12 first downs to seven for their opponents, and the Southsiders' goal was threatened only once. The outstanding play took place as Trella took a punt on his own 18 yard line and then lateralled to Turkish, who dashed up the field 82 yards to score.

Monaca Easily Defeats St. Joseph

Winding up their 1941 season with a dazzling display of scoring power the Monaca High School Indians defeated St. Joseph of Oil City in easy fashion, 39-0, before a feature contest of the Annual Armistice Day program at Monaca. Trella hit payoff dirt twice, drop-kicked one extra point, threw a pass to Antoline for another conversion, and tossed two long aerals to John Dietrich for two other touchdowns. The game was the last of the high school grid careers for four members of the varsity squad, Trella, Sabella, Ofcharka, and Antoline. All four were outstanding in their final game.



Dietrich, Battaglia
Wywrot, Olshanski
Yuran

Zupsic, LeGoullon, Vogt

Namaddan, Ofcharka, Bobroski

The Band

Brummitt, Knopp
Trella Punting
Turkish

The Line-up

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BASEBALL

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RECORD — 1941

Monaca 5	Beaver 4	Monaca 2	Rochester 4
Monaca 10	Beaver 0	Monaca 8	Rochester 4
Monaca 8	Midland 1	Monaca 7	Midland 8
Monaca 14	Freedom 2	Monaca 10	Beaver Falls 2
Monaca 19	Freedom 9	Monaca 10	Aliquippa 16



Trella
At Bat
Yuran

Talking It Over
Coach Schachern
Reaching for a Throw

Turbish
Infield Practice
Out at First

Members of the Baseball Squad — 1941 Coach — Leland Schachern

Trella
Jurkovac
Karcis
Gonet

Knopp
J. Ofcharka
Olshanski
Vular

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 4th Row—Vogt, Castronova, Krall, Kinkead, Shaffer, Ballish, Wilson, Beharka, Toarminia

VARSIITY RECORD — 1941-42

Monaca 39	East Liverpool 46
Monaca 23	Aliquippa 33
Monaca 28	Wampum 25
Monaca 31	Ambridge 28
Monaca 44	Wampum 30
Monaca 18	New Brighton 20
Monaca 39	Chester 37
Monaca 38	Ellwood City 32
Monaca 46	Munhall 36
*Monaca 30	Rochester 17
Monaca 36	Ellwood City 33
(Extra period)	
*Monaca 30	Beaver 25
*Monaca 60	Freedom 43
Monaca 36	Springdale 33
*Monaca 30	Midland 24
Monaca 34	Beaver Falls 32
*Monaca 34	Rochester 26
*Monaca 37	Beaver 28
Monaca 35	Homestead 30
*Monaca 43	Freedom 33
*Monaca 49	Midland 40
* League Games.	

RESERVES RECORD — 1941-42

Monaca 20	East Liverpool 25
Monaca 28	Aliquippa 37
Monaca 22	Wampum 21
Monaca 27	Wampum 20
Monaca 23	Ambridge 22
Monaca 29	New Brighton 28
Monaca 17	Chester 19
Monaca 23	Ellwood City 38
Monaca 33	Rochester 44
Monaca 34	Ellwood City 25
Monaca 43	Beaver 12
Monaca 32	Freedom 26
Monaca 20	Midland 42
Monaca 17	Beaver Falls 15
Monaca 33	Rochester 25
Monaca 41	Beaver 23
Monaca 34	Freedom 26
Monaca 37	Midland 27

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First Round	
Monaca 39	Bridgeville 31
Second Round	
Monaca 52	Bessemer 29
Semi-Final	
Monaca 35	Etna 28
Finals	
Monaca 30	Ligonier 22

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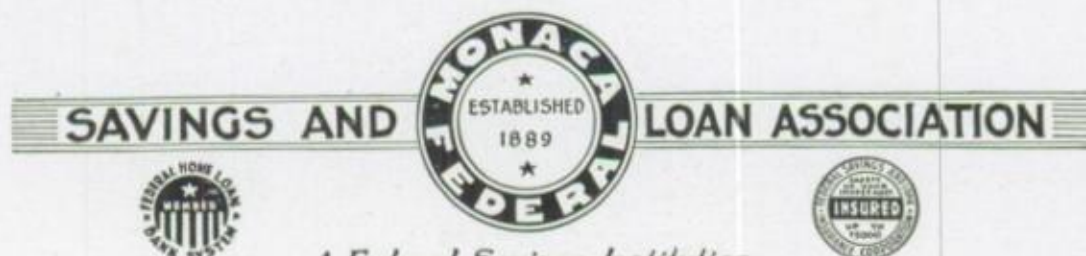
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